Mack Press THE MACK FIRM 18 Watergate Lane Patchogue, New York 11772 Telephone: (516) 330-7213

Javier Bleichmar (*pro hac vice* pending) BLEICHMAR FONTI & AULD LLP 7 Times Square, 27th Floor New York, New York 10036 Telephone: 212-789-1340

Lesley E. Weaver (pro hac vice pending) Angelica M. Ornelas (pro hac vice pending) Joshua D. Samra (pro hac vice pending) BLEICHMAR FONTI & AULD LLP 555 12th Street, Suite 1600 Oakland, California 94607 Telephone: (415) 445-4003

Attorneys for Plaintiffs

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

THOMAS ROGER WHITE, JR., and PATRICIA CAULEY, on behalf of themselves and all others similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS AMERICA, INC.,

Defendant.

Civil Action No. 17-01775 (MCA) (JSA)

Hon. Madeline Cox Arleo, U.S.D.J. Hon. Jessica S. Allen, U.S.M.J.

DECLARATION OF ANGELICA M. ORNELAS, ESQ. IN SUPPORT OF APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE*

- I, Angelica M. Ornelas, of full age, make this application to appear as counsel *pro hac vice* in the above-captioned action, hereby declare:
- I am an associate in the law firm of Bleichmar Fonti & Auld LLP, 555 12th Street,
 Suite 1600, Oakland, California 94607. I am fully familiar with the facts and circumstances surrounding this litigation.
- 2. I submit this declaration to the Court in support of the application for my admission *pro hac vice* in this matter pursuant to Local Civil Rule 101.1(c), and I am personally familiar with the facts set forth in this Declaration.
- 3. My law firm has been retained as counsel for Plaintiffs Thomas Roger White, Jr. and Patricia Cauley ("Plaintiffs") in the above-referenced matter. The issues raised in this litigation involve areas with which I have experience in the law.
- 4. I am ineligible for plenary admission to the bar of this Court pursuant to Local Civil Rule 101.1(b).
- 5. I am willing to submit to the jurisdiction of this Court and to comply with all of its rules and procedures. To ensure my familiarity with these regulations I have reviewed the Local Rules of this Court.
- 6. Attached hereto as **Exhibit A** is a true and correct chart that identifies, to the best of my knowledge, my bar admissions, the year in which I was admitted to each bar, and, for each bar, the name and address of the official or office maintaining the roll of its members.
- 7. I am not under suspension or disbarment by any court and have never been subjected to any disciplinary action by any court or governing body.
- 8. I have never been convicted of a felony crime, censured, suspended, disciplined, or disbarred by any court, nor are there any disciplinary or contempt proceedings involving me

pending before any court, nor have I been denied admission to any court during the last five years.

- 9. I agree to abide by the ethical standards governing the practice of law in this Court pursuant to the New Jersey State Lawyer's Rules of Professional Conduct.
 - 10. I agree to abide by Local Civil Rule 101.1(c).
- 11. Pursuant to the Local Rules of this Court, Mack Press, Esq., a member in good standing of the bars for the State of New Jersey and the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey, will review and sign all pleadings, briefs, and other papers filed with the Court on behalf of Plaintiffs, and will be present for all appearances before the Court unless previously excused from appearing by the Court.
- 12. I agree to strictly observe the dates fixed for scheduling conferences, motions, briefs, pre-trial conferences, trial, or other proceedings, to submit to the jurisdiction of this Court for the purposes of sanctions, discipline, or other such action as the Court may deem proper, and to otherwise abide by all the terms and conditions of Local Civil Rule 101.1(c). I agree to be bound by the rules governing practice in the New Jersey Courts, including the disciplinary rules.
- 13. Pursuant to Local Civil Rule 101.1(c)(2), I agree to pay, or cause to be paid, the annual fee required by the New Jersey Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection as provided by New Jersey Court Rule 1:28-2(a) and as directed by the Trustees of the Fund.
- 14. Pursuant to Local Civil Rule 101.1(c)(3), I shall pay, or cause to be paid, \$150.00 to the Clerk of the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey.
- 15. In light of the foregoing, I respectfully request on behalf of Plaintiffs that I be admitted *pro hac vice* for the purpose of representing them in this matter in association with The Mack Firm.

* * *

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on April 26, 2023 in Oakland, California.

By: <u>s/ Angelica M. Ornelas</u>
Angelica M. Ornelas, Esq.

Exhibit A

I, Angelica M. Ornelas, state that I am currently admitted to practice in the following state jurisdictions:

| | Attorney State | |
|------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| State | Identification Number | Year of Admission |
| California | 285929 | 2012 |

I have been admitted to and am a member of good standing of the following federal courts, and the name and address of the official or office maintaining the roll of its members are as follows:

| | Year of Admission |
|---|-------------------|
| U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit | 2019 |
| James R. Browning Courthouse | |
| 95 7th St, San Francisco, CA 94103 | |
| U.S.D.C., Northern District of California | 2016 |
| Phillip Burton Federal Building | |
| 450 Golden Gate Avenue, San Francisco, CA 64102 | |
| U.S.D.C., Central District of California | 2017 |
| First Street Courthouse | |
| 350 W 1st Street, Suite 4311, Los Angeles, CA 90012 | |
| U.S.D.C., Northern District of Illinois | 2019 |
| Dirksen Courthouse | |
| 219 S. Dearborn Street, Chicago, IL 60604 | |